

IDAHO BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY

Bureau of Occupational Licenses

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Conference Call Minutes of 2/21/2018

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BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Debra J Thompson - Chair
Geneal Thompson
Linda Swope
Wendy S Rucker
Lindy High

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Marilyn Cleland

BUREAU STAFF: Tana Cory, Bureau Chief
Dawn Hall, Deputy Bureau Chief
Maurie Ellsworth, General Counsel
Joan Callahan, Legal Counsel
Allegra Earl, Technical Records Specialist I

OTHERS PRESENT: Kris Ellis, Northwest Career Colleges Federation,
Senator Den Hartog, Representative Crane

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 AM MST by Debra J Thompson.

NEXT MEETING was scheduled for April 2, 2018 at 8:30 AM MDT.

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Ms. Cory stated that at the last meeting the Board had designated Ms. D. Thompson and Ms. High to work with Legislators on the outstanding issues related to the Board's proposed legislation. There will be 2 proposals going to the Legislature. The first proposal will have the current language in the law for scope of practice. It will also propose a makeup artist certificate with 100 hours of training. It will have the provisions allowing practice outside of a licensed salon. The draft will show 1,600 hours of training in a school of cosmetology or 3,200 hours for the apprentice program as the minimum training required for a licensed cosmetologist. The proposal also includes a maximum of 100 hours of training required for a cosmetologist to obtain a license as a barber or barber stylist. The Barber Board agreed to change the barber stylist training hours to 1,500 hours.

This proposal also includes language that changes the work experience requirement for endorsement qualification from 3 years in the last 5 years to 1 year of work experience in the last 3 years.

The second proposal will clarify that eyelash extensions are within the scope of practice of a cosmetologist and esthetician. Prior discussions by the Board were noted regarding the fact that eyelash extensions were within the scope of practice of a cosmetologist, but the Board has pulled back from enforcing that until the language in the law could be

modernized to clearly state that eyelash extensions are part of the scope of practice. The Board also noted the importance of this as a public health issue. At the request of legislators, the eyelash extension proposed legislation is being brought as a trailer bill to the main legislative proposal and will provide the opportunity to discuss the importance of this issue and reduce any confusion about the fact that eyelash extensions have been regulated.

Ms. Cory stated that Senator Den Hartog and Representative Crane had worked with the Board designees on those outstanding issues. The deadline to get the proposal heard by the Legislature was fast approaching and the proposal needed to get printed.

Ms. Cory said Ms. Aksamit, Bureau staff, was contacting the school owners to let them know that there would be a conference call at 12 pm today to update them on the proposals and specifically the proposal on school hours.

Representative Crane stated the proposal would start in the Senate and then move to the House. He had talked to Chairman Barbieri and was optimistic about this proposal.

Senator Den Hartog said that the change to school hours would provide for portability and consistency among states. The change would be the minimum required hours: if some schools wanted to continue to teach 2,000 hours of training they could do that and can design their own programs and market them that way. She also said the certificate for makeup artists was a good compromise.

Ms. D. Thompson stated that she was happy with where things were and, at the end of the day, things worked.

Ms. High said she appreciated all the help from Representative Crane and Senator Den Hartog. She said that working on the outstanding issues took a lot of time and she felt like the Board had the support and advice of the Legislators.

Senator Den Hartog said that she had communicated with Chairman Barbieri and had walked through all the changes that had been made. She said that he was comfortable with her direction. She also said the Legislators had seen movement on these issues and that was really valuable.

RECONSIDERATION

Mr. Ellsworth presented a request for reconsideration for COS-2017-183. After discussion by the Board, Ms. High made a motion to grant partial reconsideration. It was seconded by Ms. Rucker. Motion carried.

Ms. High made a motion for Board counsel to draft the order and authorize Ms. D. Thompson to sign on behalf of the Board. It was seconded by Ms. G. Thompson. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

APPLICATIONS

Ms. Swope made a motion to accept the application of William Bartnicki and issue a license. It was seconded by Ms. Rucker. Motion carried.

Ms. Swope made a motion to accept the application of Gordon Elliott and issue a license. It was seconded by Ms. Rucker. Motion carried.

APPRENTICESHIP

Ms. G. Thompson made a motion to accept the apprentice application for Pranom Grigg. It was seconded by Ms. Swope. Motion carried.

Ms. D. Thompson said that if the proposal changing the school hours passes the Legislature, she would like the language on the DL Roope contract allowing students to test when they have completed 90 percent of their schooling removed. She said if that language stayed in the contract, the student would be tested at 1,440 hours, and that is not enough training.

Ms. Swope made a motion to direct the Bureau to contact DL Roope to let them know that if the proposal passes, the contract would need to be updated. It was seconded by Ms. Rucker. Motion carried.

Ms. Cory informed the Board of a scam regarding Board discipline. She said the Bureau was putting notices in the renewal notifying licensees of the scam.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Swope made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:01 AM MST. It was seconded by Ms. Rucker. Motion carried.

Debra J Thompson, Chair

Merrilyn Cleland

Geneal Thompson

Linda Swope

Wendy S Rucker

Lindy High

Tana Cory, Bureau Chief